(*g*) That payments will be made to the contractor after the wood is prepared, classified, weighed, and put into lots in the koti lot room once every month, generally at the close of the month. The assortment includes the putting up into lots of white wood of different classes also.

(*h*) That no smoking will be permitted anywhere in the precincts of the Sandal Koti building and that in case of danger to the sandalwood by fire, the contractor will be liable to the department for damages which will be recoverable as if it were an arrear of land revenue.

(*i*) That the contractor and his coolies will submit to the disciplinary measures that may have to be enforced by the Koti Officer during working hours.

(*j*) That for failure to fulfil all or any of the foregoing conditions, the contractor shall be liable for such fine as the District Forest Officer at his discretion may levy in addition to the forfeiture of the security deposit to Government which will be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

N.B.—As a rule, higher rates are payable for the superior classes of prepared wood and less for Milva-chilta. Hence, two different rates should be quoted in the tender, one for the outturn of superior classes and the other for Milva-chilta, since the object aimed at is that greater care should be taken by the contractor to see that the Koti preparation work is conducted on principles of economy so as not to waste heartwood by conversion into chips. No charges are payable on the Milva-chilta if the outturn of the same is 15 per cent in proportion to the total production of good wood.

A. Superior Classes of prepared wood.

(1) Ghotla.
(2) Ghatbadla.
(3) Bagardad.
(4) Roots I Class.
(5) Roots II Class.
(6) Roots III Class.
(7) Jajpokal I Class.
(8) Do II do
(9) Ainbagar.
(10) Cheria.
(11) Ainchilta.
(12) Hatrichilta.

B. Milva-chilta.

(1) Milva-chilta.
(2) Basola-bukeni.
(3) Saw-dust.

D. NARASIMHAMURTHI RAO,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 7th June 1940.

It is hereby notified for general information that the grass in the undermentioned plantations and other places in the Shimoga Division, during the grazing season of 1940-41, will be sold by public auction on the dates and places noted against each.

Sl. No.	Name of plantation	Date and time of sale	Place of sale	Name of Sale Conducting Officer
1	Revenue Plantation, Shimoga	Monday the 24th June 1940, at 3 P.M.	Saw Mills, Shimoga.	Officer-in-charge, Saw Mills, Shimoga.
2	Sandal Koti Compound, Shimoga.			
3	Botanical Gardens, Shimoga			
4	Alkola Plantation	Do	Range Forest Officer, Anapinakatte.	Range Officer, Shankar Range.
5	Anapinakatte Plantation			
6	Nagarabhavi Plantation	Do	Range Forest Office, Ayanur.	Range Officer, Ayanur Range.

2. The successful bidder will be required to deposit twenty-five per cent of the purchase money soon after the sale is closed and to pay up the balance together with the Local cess at one anna per rupee, Education cess at six pies per rupee and Railway cess at three pies per rupee on the whole amount within seven days from the date of confirmation of the sale, failing which the deposit shall be forfeited to Government and the right resold at the risk of the first purchaser, who

shall not however participate in any gain but will make good any loss that may be sustained by Government by such resale, the deficit being recoverable as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Act. License to begin collection will be issued immediately after the confirmation of the sale and on the full payment of the sale amount together with the cesses thereon.

3. The purchaser shall not sublet the harvesting without previous sanction of the District Forest Officer. When such sanction is accorded, the sub-lessee will be bound by all the terms and conditions of the sale jointly and severally with the original purchaser. The purchaser shall furnish a list of men allowed to enter the plantations, etc., to cut and remove grass and shall hold himself responsible for breach of any of the Forest Rules and for the occurrence of fire in the Plantations, etc., either on his part or on the part of his men, which will be dealt with under the provisions of the Mysore Forest Act. He shall deposit a sum equivalent to 10 per cent of the purchase money as security deposit for the due fulfilment of the lease and shall execute an agreement for that purpose.

4. The purchaser shall not scrape or dig the grass in the plantations, but shall only cut and remove it.

5. The grass crop in the plantations will be allowed to be only cut and removed between sunrise and sunset up to the end of the period stipulated.

6. The purchaser shall not interfere with any forest operation such as planting, sowing and felling that the Forest Department may wish to conduct in the leased area. Should any damage be caused by such operations to the grass crop, he shall not be entitled to any compensation.

7. In the event of a breach of any of the conditions specified in the sale notice or agreement, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the produce collected confiscated and a penalty not exceeding Rs. 25 levied and recovered as an arrear of land revenue by the District Forest Officer and the security deposit or part thereof forfeited.

8. Interest at the rates in force will be charged on all belated payments from the date of the amount falling due.

M. A. MUTHANNA,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 20th May 1940.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification regarding the sale of the right of collecting daily grazing fees for 1940-41 in this Division, published on pages 1204-1206, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 30th May 1940.

Abstract Notification dated 23rd May 1940.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification regarding the auction sale of timber to be held on 21st June 1940, published on pages 1206-1207, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 30th May 1940.

Notification dated the 30th May 1940.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations for two years from 1st July 1940 to 30th June 1942 will be sold Talukwar by public auction on the dates and at the places specified below :—

Taluk	Bab	Place of sale	Date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
Sagar ..	M. F. P. except Bees wax and honey.	District Forest Office, Sagar.	19-6-1940	District Forest Officer, Sagar.
Do ..	Bees wax and honey ..	Do ..	do	Do
Nagar ..	Minor Forest Produce ..	Do ..	do	Do
Do ..	Balapa stones	Do ..	do	Do

For conditions of sale, please refer to the original notification published on pages 895-899, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 18th April 1940.